27409. Noodles. (F.D.C. No. 46079. S. No. 51-670 R.)

QUANTITY: 90 cases, 24 pkgs. each, at Denver, Colo.

SHIPPED: Between 5-24-61 and 6-21-61, from St. Louis, Mo., by Ravarino & Freschi, Inc.

LABEL IN PART: (Pkg.) "Country Style Egg Dumplings * * * 8 Ounces Vitamin Enriched A Product of Ravarino & Freschi, Viviano Macaroni Co. St. Louis, Mo."

RESULTS OF INVESTIGATION: Examination showed that the article was short weight.

LIBELED: 7-18-61, Dist. Colo.

CHARGE: 403(e)(2)—when shipped, the article failed to bear a label containing an accurate statement of the quantity of the contents; and 403(g)(2)—the label of the article failed to bear the name of the food specified in the definition and standard of identity, namely "Enriched Egg Noodle Product" or "Enriched Egg Noodles."

DISPOSITION: 9-1-61. Default—delivered to a Federal institution.

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27410. Rice. (F.D.C. No. 45927. S. No. 78-937 R.)

QUANTITY: 158 100-lb. bags at Norfolk, Va., in possession of Italian American Grocery Co.

Shipped: 4-3-61, from Houston, Tex.

Libeled: 6-5-61, E. Dist. Va.

CHARGE: 402(a)(3)—contained rodent urine; and 402(a)(4)—held under insanitary conditions.

DISPOSITION: 7-14-61. Default—delivered to a public institution for use as animal feed.

27411. Rice. (F.D.C. No. 46041. S. Nos. 75-843/5 R.)

QUANTITY: 4 100-lb. bags and 45 25-lb. bags at Columbia, S.C., in possession of Merchants Wholesale Grocery, Inc.

SHIPPED: Between 2-8-61 and 4-5-61, from Stuttgart, Ark., and Houston, Tex.

LIBELED: 6-29-61, E. Dist. S.C.

CHARGE: 402(a)(3)—contained rodent urine and bird excreta; and 402(a) (4)—held under insanitary conditions.

DISPOSITION: 7-31-61. Default—destruction.

27412. Rice. (F.D.C. No. 46063. S. No. 49-235 R.)

QUANTITY: 20 100-lb. bags at Albuquerque, N. Mex.

Shipped: 5-29-61, from Carlisle, Ark.

Libeled: 7-11-61, Dist. N. Mex.

CHARGE: 402(a) (3)—contained rodent urine while held for sale.

DISPOSITION: 8-23-61. Default—delivered to a charitable institution for use as animal feed.

27413. Puffed rice. (F.D.C. No. 46187. S. No. 79-499 R.)

QUANTITY: 46 cases, 24 boxes each, at Washington, D.C.

Shipped: 6-2-61 and 6-14-61, from Lemoyne, Pa., by Quaker Oats Co.

LABEL IN PART: (Box) "Weight 4½ oz. net Quaker Puffed Rice Manufactured by the Quaker Oats Company Address: Chicago, U.S.A."

RESULTS OF INVESTIGATION: Examination showed that the article was short weight.

LIBELED: 7-25-61, Dist. Columbia.

CHARGE: 403(e) (2)—when shipped, the article failed to bear a label containing an accurate statement of the quantity of the contents.

DISPOSITION: 8-18-61. Default—delivered to a public institution.

27414. Puffed rice. (F.D.C. No. 46199. S. Nos. 81-230/1 R.)

QUANTITY: 104 cases, 18 pkgs. each, at East Providence, R.I.

SHIPPED: 6-16-61 and 6-23-61, from Harrisburg, Pa., by Quaker Oats Co.

LABEL IN PART: (Pkg.) "Weight 6-% Oz. Net * * * Quaker Puffed Rice Manufactured by The Quaker Oats Company Chicago."

RESULTS OF INVESTIGATION: Examination showed that the article was short weight.

Libeled: 8-2-61, Dist. R.I.

CHARGE: 403(e) (2)—when shipped, the article failed to bear a label containing an accurate statement of the quantity of the contents.

DISPOSITION: 8-24-61. Default—delivered to charitable institutions.

27415. Wheat. (F.D.C. No. 45615. S. No. 43-430 R.)

QUANTITY: 48,940 lbs. at Portland, Oreg.

SHIPPED: 3-28-61, from Heyburn, Idaho, by Heyburn Feed & Milling Co.

LIBELED: 4-6-61, Dist. Oreg.

CHARGE: 402(a) (3)—contained rodent excreta pellets when shipped.

DISPOSITION: 7-12-61. Consent—claimed by Heyburn Feed & Milling Co., and converted into animal feed.

27416. Wheat. (F.D.C. No. 46314. S. No. 98-363 R.)

QUANTITY: 109,800 lbs. at Buffalo, N.Y.

SHIPPED: 7-21-61, from Ashmore, Ill., by Sees Feed Co.

RESULTS OF INVESTIGATION: Examination showed that the article contained an added mercurial compound.

Libeled: 8-22-61, W. Dist. N.Y.

CHARGE: 402(a)(2)(B)—the article was a raw agricultural commodity, and when shipped, contained a pesticide chemical, namely, a mercurial compound, which is unsafe within the meaning of 408(a) since no tolerance or exemption from the requirement of a tolerance for such pesticide chemical on wheat has been prescribed by regulations.

Disposition: 8-31-61. Consent—destruction.

27417. Puffed wheat. (F.D.C. No. 46223. S. No. 87-293 R.)

QUANTITY: 14 cases, 24 pkgs. each, at Washington, D.C.

SHIPPED: 7-13-61, from Lemoyne, Pa., by Quaker Oats Co.

LABEL IN PART: (Pkg.) "Weight 4 oz, Net * * * Quaker Puffed Wheat Manufactured by The Quaker Oats Company, Chicago."

RESULTS OF INVESTIGATION: Examination showed that the article was short weight.